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Weekly newsletters

As of Monday, 30th April, the weekly newsletter and other large pieces of information will be communicated via email to your preferred email address, please ensure that school has an email address in order to keep you up to date.

John 15:9-17

⁹"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love. ¹⁰If you keep my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commands and remain in his love. ¹¹I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete. ¹²My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you. ¹³Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends. ¹⁴You are my friends if you do what I command. ¹⁵I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you. ¹⁶You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you might go and bear fruit—fruit that will last—and so that whatever you ask in my name the Father will give you. ¹⁷This is my command: Love each other.

What a wonderful scripture this is; to know that we have been chosen and are so special. We have had a bitter sweet weekend filled with lovely sun, but also terrible violence amongst young people in our city and in our neighborhood; now more than ever Jesus' words of love need to be made known to all.

New Staff

A warm welcome to Mrs O'Donkor who joins us a new teacher in Reception E and Mrs Mostowa who joins us as the us as a new teaching assistant in Reception P until the end of the term; I am sure you will make these new members of staff feel welcome as they join the St Francis' family.

Traffic - Maryland Park Entrance

For some time the traffic outside of the Maryland Park entrance of the school has been very concerning. There is often a long line of traffic at this entrance due to motorist being inconsiderate of each other. We have had some very unpleasant exchanges from parents at this entrance and a disregard for the yellow zig-zag lines which are there to indicate that motorist should not wait or park. The parking enforcement officers have made frequent visits to the school to ensure that parents are following the rules of the road and will continue to do so until it is evident that this is a regular and daily practice. I ask that parents are considerate of their fellow motorist; leave enough time in the morning so that they are not rushing and driving/parking illegally and that you do not stop on the zig-zag lines. This is for your child safety and the safety of other children in the school.



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Science Week

Thank you to all the parents who attended the Science Week exhibition on Thursday, 3rd May 2018. The children were articulate and confident in demonstrating their knowledge from the week's work.

Class Assembly

There will be a class assembly for **1K on Friday, 18th May 2018** at 9:05 am; parents with children in this class are warmly welcome.

There will be a class assembly for **Reception P on Friday, 25th May 2018** at 9:05 am; parents with children in this class are warmly welcome.

N. Scott
Head Teacher



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